



RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116 **EXPEDITED PROCEDURE EXAMINING GROUP 2811**

PATENT APPLICATION Docket No. 4591-227 Client No. IE10176-US

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Do-Hyung KIM and Sung-Eui KIM

Serial No.

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Examiner:

Vu, Quang D

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Responsive to the Final Office Action dated April 7, 2004, enclosed is an amendment in the above-identified application.

The fee has been calculated as shown below.

CLAIMS AS AMENDED					
For:	Number After Amendment	Previous Number	Extra	Rate	Additional Fee
Total Claims	26	26	0	x \$18 =	\$0.00
Independent Claims	3	5	0	x \$86 =	\$0.00
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT				•	\$0.00

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Respectfully submitted,

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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION UNDER 37 CFR 1.116

Responsive to the Final Office Action, dated April 7, 2004, please amend the application as follows.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

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